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SUBJECT

Instructions to the Presidents of Municipal councils for attending to cure improvements

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Ml 108-41-25

OFFICE OF
The Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District,
Tumkur

No A 6 C 4355/41-42
Encls One

Date 11th May 1942

To

H V Narayana Rao, Esq , B A ,LL B ,
Secretary to Govt of Mysore,
Law Department, Bangalore

SECY LAW DEPT 13 MAY 1942

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Sir

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Adverting to Government Official Memorandum No L 9221-33/Ml 108-41-4 dated 30th March 1942 issuing certain instructions for the guidance of the Presidents of the Town and Minor Municipalities in the matter of effecting certain civic improvements in towns, I have the honor to state that a copy of the said memorandum was forwarded to the Presidents of all the Municipalities in this District But the non-official President of Tumkur Town Municipality (Mr M V Rama Rao) has taken objection and made certain comments on the observations and instructions of the Government I am therefore submitting herewith, in original, letter No M C 321/41-42 dated 25th April 1942 received from him in this behalf for perusal of Government and passing such orders as are deemed necessary

newspaper

The letter dated 25.4.42 of the President, Town Municipal Council, Tumkur, to which is self-explanatory is submitted for perusal and orders.

I have the honor to be,
sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District

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1) The President seems to object to the Govt order & the diary by him. There is nothing in appellate order & the keeping of diary becomes ultra by whether the orders & suggestions are carried out. The diary to be kept by the Executive officers & not

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3) Mrs Cellier suggests that she is not getting sufficient cooperation from the My Cannon. The Cellier has seen the letter the My Cannons may have apparently have been corresponding with the Municipal President. There is no reason to think that the My Cannon Secretary is not doing so. The question at A may be presented out to the President who further action seems to be necessary

Memo (c) 1955)

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER
FOR L S G & P H
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4) What does the Municipal Council say on the matter. Has an opinion been got by the President

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5) Submit with a draft for all 6, if one is required

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To, The D C Tumkur Dh
L 11860 Dy 23/6/42
Calls for further information

From
The D C Tumkur Dh
No A6-C 4355/Dy 4142 16 10 42
States that the Tumkur Town Inl Council have accepted the instructions of Govt issued in the matter of attending to the Cong amenities

7) Submitted with refee to para 4 of the notes supra The file may perhaps be closed after perusal, as no further action is called for

7) Refee para 4 supra
Date 22/10 It is stated that the Tumkur Town Municipal Council have accepted the instructions issued by the Govt in regard to the preparation of a programme of conservancy improvements in public and also maintenance of drains & work done & instructions issued by the President in public
To perusal No action is called for

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Serial No

TUMKUR TOWN MUNICIPALITY

No MC 321 41-42
Encl

Dated Tumkur 25th April 1942

From

M V RAMA RAO ESQ B A LL B
PRESIDENT
TOWN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

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To

The Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District,
TUMKUR

Subject

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Sir

Reference your Memo No G1 15057/41-42 dated nil forwarding Official memorandum No L 9221-23/M1 108-41-4 dated 30-3-1942 from the Law Secretary

I have the horour to state in answer to the said memo that

1 The observations about the work of the Presidents of the Town Municipal Council are so general that I will be failing in my duty if I do not refute the suggestions of irregularity in work and inattention to civic needs so far as they relate to me and this Council

2 Town Inspection is carried on regularly at least once if not oftener in the course of every week and instructions are issued to the Executive Officers on the spot in regard to the particular needs of the locality inspected Such instructions will either direct executive action to be taken to abate nuisances, set back encroachments etc , or form the nucleus of detailed Inspection Notes to be duly drawn up so as to provide a basis for planning works The undersigned has carried out inspection of several divisions since he assumed charge and Notes of Inspection have been prepared with a view to planning a programme of works and improvements

3 The existence of manure pits, dilapidated dwarf walls, vacant sites with rank vegetation, stagnation of water and rubbish in the drains and rickety old buildings in the heart of the town

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is a very large problem which, while it reflects discredit on the efficiency of the Executive rather than on the work of the President, equally reflects the utter poverty of the urban population Tangible if not maximum results in solving this problem might perhaps be achieved if Government were to concede the autonomy of the Council in matters pertaining to its own Executive

4 Instructions 1,3, and 4 issued for strict guidance are in conformity with my own ideas of running the Municipal Administration and I would be repeating myself if I say that the instructions have been actually anticipated so far as regular inspection of the Town, systematic disposal of questions and scheduling the needs of the town are concerned As to the direction that the President should keep a diary, however, I should like to emphasise that this requirement from an Elected President (whose only incentive to the onerous duties of his Office is his love of public service) is singularly inappropriate The purpose would be better served by insisting upon the Executive Officers of the Council to maintain and submit diaries regularly The Chief Officer and other subordinate Officers of the Municipality have been directed to submit diaries ever before your Memo was received

5 Planned programme of work is an ideal after my own heart But this question requires further examination as to the acceptability of a long-range programme to the changing personnel of a triennial Council, and as to the actual scope for putting it through - having due regard to the shortness of the President's term of Office and to the non-coincidence of the Budget-Year with the presidential Year of Office

I wish to conclude by saying that the work of the President will be more fruitful if co-operation were forthcoming in a fuller measure from the Deputy Commissioner on whom very much indeed depends ultimately Joint inspections of the Town and more frequent contacts with the Council are the sort of things which will help to present the picture of Municipal Administration in its proper perspective I look forward to these in the very near future

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

President 25/4/42

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

No L 11 86 / Jdl 108-41-26 *Dated Bangalore* 23rd June 1942

FROM

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
Law Department

To

The Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District

Sir,

With reference to your letter No A6-C 4355/41-42 dated 11th May 1942 forwarding certain views of the President, Tumkur Town Municipal Council, in regard to the instructions issued by the Government for guidance by the Presidents of Town and Minor Municipal Councils for attending to the civic needs in their respective jurisdictions, I am directed to enquire as to whether the matter was placed before the Municipal Council and if so, what its opinion is Otherwise the President may be advised to obtain the opinion of the Municipal Council and to forward the same through you to Government

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Secretary to Government,
Law Department

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OFFICE OF The Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District,
Tumkur

No A6 C 4355/41-42

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Date 16th October 1942

Rec 108-41-31

To C Narayanaswami Naidu, Esq , B A , B L ,
Secretary to the Govt of Mysore,
Law Department, Bangalore

Sir,

Re attending to civic needs in the town and minor Municipalities

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With reference to your letter No L 11860/L1 108-41-26 dated 23rd June 1942 on the above subject, I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of the resolution of the Council in the matter and to state that the President, Tumkur Town Municipal Council, states that the Council have accepted the instructions of Government issued on the subject

I have the honor to be,
sir,
Your most obedient servant,

P Sunanda Rao
Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District

AD 16/10